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SUBJ: UNDP INTERNATIONAL RICE TESTING PROGRAMME -  
GLOBAL PROJECT - REQUEST FOR USG COMMENTS

1. BELOW QUOTED LETTER FROM W.T. MASHLER, DIRECTOR OF  
UNDP DIVISION FOR LOBAL PROJECTS TO USUN ON SUBJECT PROJECT  
RECENTLY RECEIVED.

2. QUOTE: I AM TRANSMITTING TO YOU HERewith A COPY OF  
A PROPOSAL FOR A GLOBAL PROJECT "INTERNATIONAL RIC TESTING  
PROGRAMME" WHICH HAS BEEN SUBMITTED TO US BY THE  
INTERNATIOAL RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE.

"THIS ACTIVITY WAS THE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION AT THE  
RECENT CENTRES WEEK MEETING OF THE CGIAR AT WHICH TIME  
UNDP EXPRESSED ITS READINESS TO SUPPORT THIS ACTIVITY.  
AT THAT TIME WE HAD RECEIVED A PRELIMINARY DRAFT WHICH CALLED  
FOR ACTIVITIES TO BE UNDERTAKEN IN SOUTH AND SOUTH EAST  
ASIA ONLY. AT OUR SUGGESTION, IRRI HAS REVISED THIS PROPOSAL  
TO INCLUDE OTHER AREAS AND TO PLACE, ADDITIONALLY, STRONG  
EMPHASIS ON TRAINING. THIS HAS NOW BEEN DONE AND ON INITIAL  
READING OF THE DRAFT IMPRESSES US WITH THE THOROUGHNESS  
WITH WHICH IT HAS BEEN PREPARED. WE WILL, HOWEVER, HAVE  
TO STUDY IT IN GREATER DETAIL IN THE COMING  
DAYS.

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"IN THE MEANTIME, WE WOULD WELCOME YOUR COMMENTS ON IT AND WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF WE COULD RECEIVE THESE NOT LATER THAN 13 SEPTEMBER. IT IS OUR INTENTION TO SUBMIT THE PROPOSAL FOR APPROVAL TO OUR GOVERNING COUNCIL AT ITS SESSION IN JANUARY 1975, AND TO HAVE THE PROJECT DIRECTLY EXECUTED BY UNDP UNDER CONTRACT WITH IRRI."

3. COPIES OF PROPOSAL BEING SENT UNDER SEPARATE COVER, ONE ADDRESSED TO R. SPRINGER, IO/CMD, AND THE OTHER TO M. L. BECKER, AID/PPC.  
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